

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION,

-against-

XIA et al,

Defendants

Case No.: 1:21-cv-05350-PKC-JAM

**DECLARATION OF JOHN  
LIBBY**

John F. Libby, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declares as follows:

1. I am the Founder and Principal Member of Libby ADR LLC.
2. I submit this declaration in compliance with Local Civil Rule 1.4 to notify the Court that I am withdrawing as counsel because I am no longer employed by Manatt, Phelps & Phillips LLP, counsel of record for Interested Party CTBC Bank USA and Proposed Intervenor CTBC Bank Corp. (USA).
3. My withdrawal will not delay or prejudice this matter, and I am not retaining or charging a lien.
4. Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: February 1, 2024

By: /s/ John Libby

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